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SUBJ: USIS CAIRO WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

1. PSYCHOLOGICAL SITUATION: IN PAST WEEK, CAIRO PRESS HAS BANNERHEADED POSITIVE DEVELOPMENTS IN KISSINGER'S SYRIAN/ ISRAELI DISENGAGEMENT EFFORTS AND GAVE KISSINGER EFFORTS LESS PROMINENCE WHEN NO PROGRESS WAS MADE. THIS TREATMENT OF NEWS REFLECTS GOE'S CONTINUING SUPPORT FOR KISSINGER'S WORK AND CATERS TO EGYPTIAN PUBLICS DESIRE FOR SYRIAN FRONT SETTLEMENT AS ANOTHER STEP TOWARD LASTING ME PEACE AND FOR GREATER GOVERNMENT EMPHASIS ON NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT.

2. TV PLACEMENT: "DUKE ELLINGTON IN WHITE HOUSE" AND LIONEL HAMPTON FILM PLACED ON TV MUSIC PROGRAM "ICS EDUCATION" IS BEING SERIALIZED ON TV YOUTH AND STUDENT PROGRAM. LAST WEEK'S "WAR AND PEACE" TV PROGRAM PRESENTED TWO PERSONALITIES: BERTRAND RUSSELL AND SECRETARY KISSINGER, "THE ME PEACE MAKER" (SOME USIS CLIPS WERE USED IN CONNECTION WITH KISSINGER).

3. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION: EPA REGIONAL ADMINSITRATOR, DANIEL SNYDER, ENGAGED IN USEFUL EXCHANGES AND INFORMAL DISCUSSION WITH EGYPT'S LEADING ENVIRONMENTAL FIGURES. HE
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ALSO ENGAGED IN GENERAL DISCUSSION AT MINISTRIES AND IN

ACADEMIC CIRCLES IN CAIRO AND ALEXANDRIA ON SPECIFIC RESEARCH PROJECTS IN WHICH EPA MIGHT BE ABLE TO COOPERATE. IN PRESENTING SNYDER, ALEXANDRIA UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT EXPRESSED APPRECIATION OF U.S. INTEREST IN EGYPTIAN ENVIRONMENT PROBLEMS AS EXEMPLIFIED BY "SATISFACTORY USIS COVERAGE" OF UNIVERSITY'S FIRST ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION CONFERENCE A YEAR AGO. SNYDER WAS ALSO INTERVIEWED ON TV, RADIO AND PRESS. FIELD MESSAGE FOLLOWS.
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